

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
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Kikuo MAEDA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 2527  
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Application No.: 10/574,779 : Group Art Unit: 1793  
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Filed: April 06, 2006 : Examiner: Jie YANG  
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For: MANUFACTURING METHOD OF THIN COMPONENT, BEARING RING, THRUST  
NEEDLE ROLLER BEARING, MANUFACTURING METHOD OF ROLLING  
BEARING RING, ROLLING BEARING RING, AND ROLLING BEARING

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 8, 2009, now due to expire October 8, 2009, be extended for one month and set to expire on November 8, 2009 (Sunday).

Please charge the extension fee of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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